

Table 7. Enrollment of women 16 to 24 in school and labor force participation rate by enrollment status, 1995 and 2000															
Group	Proportion enrolled in school			Labor force participation rate of women 16 to 24 enrolled in school											
	1995	2000	Change	1995				2000				Changes, 1995-2000			
				Total	Enrolled in school	Not enrolled in school	Difference	Total	Enrolled in school	Not enrolled in school	Difference	Total	Enrolled in school	Not enrolled in school	Change in difference
Total, 16 to 24	44.3	47.8	3.5	62.3	50.6	71.6	20.9	63.2	50.6	74.8	24.2	0.9	-0.1	3.2	3.2
16 to 19	65.3	68.7	3.5	52.2	45.3	65.1	19.8	51.3	44.1	67.2	23.1	-0.9	-1.2	2.1	3.3
20 to 24	27.8	30.0	2.2	70.3	60.6	74.1	13.5	73.3	63.2	77.6	14.4	3.0	2.7	3.6	0.9
20 to 21	38.4	41.7	3.2	65.5	58.2	70.0	11.8	70.4	62.4	76.1	13.7	4.9	4.2	6.1	1.9
22 to 24	21.3	21.9	0.7	73.3	63.2	76.0	12.8	75.3	64.3	78.4	14.1	2.1	1.1	2.4	1.3
White women															
Total, 16 to 24	44.0	47.3	3.3	64.9	54.2	73.4	19.3	65.5	54.1	75.7	21.5	0.6	0.0	2.3	2.3
16 to 19	64.9	68.1	3.2	55.5	49.0	67.5	18.5	54.7	47.9	69.1	21.2	-0.9	-1.1	1.5	2.7
20 to 24	27.6	29.6	1.9	72.3	63.6	75.7	12.1	74.7	66.4	78.2	11.8	2.4	2.8	2.6	-0.2
20 to 21	38.6	42.0	3.5	68.0	61.3	72.2	10.9	72.0	65.4	76.7	11.4	4.0	4.1	4.6	0.5
22 to 24	20.9	21.0	0.1	75.0	66.2	77.3	11.1	76.6	67.7	78.9	11.2	1.6	1.5	1.6	0.1
Black women															
Total, 16 to 24	44.0	47.3	3.3	52.8	37.0	65.2	28.2	56.1	38.2	72.1	34.0	3.3	1.2	6.9	5.7
16 to 19	66.2	69.7	3.5	39.7	31.5	55.9	24.4	39.4	30.3	60.3	29.9	-0.3	-1.1	4.4	5.5
20 to 24	25.6	28.0	2.4	63.7	48.9	68.8	19.9	70.5	55.0	76.5	21.4	6.8	6.2	7.7	1.5
20 to 21	34.3	36.1	1.8	56.8	46.2	62.4	16.2	67.1	52.8	75.1	22.4	10.3	6.6	12.8	6.2
22 to 24	20.2	22.2	2.0	67.9	51.7	72.0	20.3	72.9	57.7	77.2	19.6	5.0	5.9	5.2	-0.7
Asian and other women															
Total, 16 to 24	50.3	57.3	6.9	51.4	40.5	62.5	22.0	50.6	37.7	67.9	30.3	-0.8	-2.8	5.5	8.3
16 to 19	68.2	75.4	7.2	40.6	33.5	55.8	22.4	37.8	31.5	57.1	25.7	-2.8	-2.0	1.3	3.3
20 to 24	36.6	41.9	5.4	59.8	50.6	65.0	14.5	61.5	47.1	71.8	24.7	1.7	-3.4	6.8	10.2
20 to 21	48.6	53.1	4.5	53.1	46.5	59.3	12.8	57.1	47.1	68.5	21.4	4.0	0.6	9.1	8.5
22 to 24	29.7	34.8	5.1	63.5	54.3	67.4	13.1	64.3	47.2	73.4	26.2	0.7	-7.2	5.9	13.1
Hispanic women															
Total, 16 to 24	35.9	38.4	2.5	49.2	40.2	54.2	14.1	54.0	41.4	61.9	20.6	4.9	1.2	7.7	6.5
16 to 19	58.1	60.9	2.8	40.4	33.6	49.9	16.3	41.4	32.9	54.7	21.9	1.0	-0.7	4.9	5.6
20 to 24	18.8	19.1	0.3	55.9	55.8	55.9	0.1	64.9	64.7	64.9	0.3	9.0	8.9	9.0	0.1
20 to 21	23.1	26.6	3.5	52.1	51.4	52.3	0.9	64.7	62.9	65.4	2.5	12.6	11.4	13.1	1.7
22 to 24	16.2	14.1	-2.0	58.3	59.7	58.0	-1.6	65.0	67.0	64.7	-2.3	6.7	7.3	6.7	-0.6